

2018 South Florida Deanery Parish Reports / Diocese of the South

Metrics reflect the 2017 calendar year

St Peter Orthodox Mission - Jupiter

Rector: Fr Philip Kontos*

Pledged Members: 34

Average Sunday Attendance: 25

Infant Baptisms: 0

Adult Baptisms/Chrismations: 0

Weddings: 1

Funerals: 0

Current Number of Catechumens: 0

Annual Income: \$63,797.08

Annual Expenses:\$68,059.77

Building: \$1,200/month rent

Cycle of Liturgical Services Presently Offered: Sunday Liturgy, 2 - 3 Great Vespers monthly, occasional services (akathists, compline)

Parish Projects and Events: Book studies, Movie Night

Community Outreach/Charity: Beach Clean up, , Agape Fund, St. Nicholas Day candy for kids in foster care

**Note: St Peter Mission merged with St Herman of Alaska Church (Lake Worth) on June 1, 2018. Fr Philip Kontos is the Rector of the combined parish, meeting at Lake Worth.*

St Nicholas Church - Fort Lauderdale

Rector: Fr Kirrill Gvosdev

Pledged Members: 0

Average Sunday Attendance: 65-75

Infant Baptisms: 19

Adult Baptisms/Chrismations: 3

Weddings: 4

Funerals: 3

Current Number of Catechumens: 3

Annual Income: \$59,008.

Annual Expenses: \$62,048.

Building: Owned

Cycle of Liturgical Services Presently Offered: All

Parish Projects and Events: Expanding Sunday School

Community Outreach/Charity: Support local "Poverello House"

Holy Spirit Church – Venice

Rector: Fr Stephen Lourie (on-loan from the Antiochian Archdiocese)

Pledged Members: 75

Average Sunday Attendance: 60

Infant Baptisms: 0

Adult Baptisms/Chrismations: 0

Weddings: 0

Funerals: 3

Current Number of Catechumens: 0

Annual Income: \$120,000

Annual Expenses: \$118,000

Building: Owned / DOS loan

Cycle of Liturgical Services Presently Offered: Vespers, Orthros and Divine Liturgy on Sunday. All major feasts and occasional weekday liturgy

Parish Projects and Events: Food sales

Community Outreach/Charity: Donations to Food Bank, local family assistance center, mini-festival church tours

Happenings in 2017: Annual lenten retreat, Founders Day celebration

Christ the Saviour Cathedral – Miami Lakes

Rector: Fr Joseph Lucas (Dean of South Florida)

Pledged Members: 106

Infant Baptisms: 8

Adult Baptisms/Chrismations: 6

Weddings: 2

Funerals: 2

Current Number of Catechumens: 5

Annual Income: \$194,000

Annual Expenses: \$194,000

Building: Owned

Cycle of Liturgical Services Presently Offered: Vespers, Matins, Divine Liturgy on weekends. Entire festal cycle and additional minor feasts.

Parish Projects and Events: Annual lecture series; Orthodox Book Center

Community Outreach/Charity: Support-A-Seminarian; collections for local charities

Happenings in 2017: Completion of iconography in the temple

St Demetrius Church – Naples

Rector: Fr Gleb McFatter

Pledged Members: 47

Average Sunday Attendance: 65 Winter / 40 Summer

Infant Baptisms: 3

Adult Baptisms/Chrismations: 0

Weddings: 0

Funerals: 1

Current Number of Catechumens: 0

Annual Income: \$62,000

Annual Expenses: \$67,000

Building: Owned

Cycle of Liturgical Services Presently Offered: Sun. Liturgy, Sat. Vespers, Feast days

Parish Projects and Events: Annual raffle; parish luncheon

Community Outreach/Charity: St Matthew's House Homeless Facility; Abused Children of Collier County

St James Church – Port Saint Lucie

Rector: Fr Maximus Urbanowicz

Pledged Members: 83

Average Sunday Attendance: 90

Infant Baptisms: 4

Adult Baptisms/Chrismations: 4

Weddings: 0

Funerals: 0

Current Number of Catechumens: 5

Annual Income: \$227,000

Annual Expenses: \$228,000

Building (Rent/Own/Mortgage + Amount Due): Mortgage \$3,200 month + \$92,000

Cycle of Liturgical Services Presently Offered: Sun. Hours + Liturgy, Panikhida, Sat. Vespers,

Memorial Saturday Liturgies, Special Feast Liturgies, Full cycle of Holy Week & Pascha

Parish Projects and Events: Yearly Festival, Cookie Walk, Bake Sale, Garage Sale, July 4th,

Men's & Women's Breakfasts, Youth Ministry

Community Outreach/Charity: Safe Space Food Goods (for expecting mothers)

Holy Cross Church – Fort Myers

Rector: Fr Leonid Palceski

Pledged Members: N/A (does not offer parish membership)
Average Sunday Attendance: 25 - 30
Infant Baptisms: 1
Adult Baptisms/Chrismations: 1
Weddings: 0
Funerals: 1
Current Number of Catechumens: 2
Annual Income: Unknown
Annual Expenses: Unknown
Building: Owned
Cycle of Liturgical Services Presently Offered: Sunday Liturgy and all Holy Days
Parish Projects and Events: repaired hurricane damage
Community Outreach/Charity: Support Seminary and Monastery

St Herman Church – Lake Worth

Rector: Fr Philip Kontos*
Pledged Members:
Average Sunday Attendance:
Infant Baptisms:
Adult Baptisms/Chrismations:
Weddings:
Funerals:
Current Number of Catechumens:
Annual Income:
Annual Expenses:
Building: Owned
Cycle of Liturgical Services Presently Offered:
Parish Projects and Events:
Community Outreach/Charity:
** St Herman Church and St Peter Mission were merged on June 1, under the rectorate of Fr Philip Kontos. 2017 Information from St Herman Church is incomplete due to lack of info.*

Ss Peter and Paul Church – Miami

Rector: Fr Philip Reese (Priest-in-Charge)
Pledged Members: 10
Average Sunday Attendance: 15
Infant Baptisms: 7
Adult Baptisms/Chrismations: 2

Weddings: 0

Funerals: 0

Current Number of Catechumens: 0

Annual Income: \$67,979

Annual Expenses: \$71,303

Building: Owned

Cycle of Liturgical Services Presently Offered: Sat Vespers; Sun Liturgy; some Feastdays

Parish Projects and Events: Completely renovated upstairs rectory

Community Outreach/Charity: Garage sale

Keys Mission

Services on hiatus since Autumn 2017 due to damage from Hurricane Irma. Currently being pastored by Fr Ernesto Rios. They hope to start up again at the end of this summer.